

POPULAR MENTION

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coming session of Congress, is of the opinion that annexation will be the only permanent solution of the problem. "It seems to me that annexation is inevitable," he said. "But never against the consent of the Cuban people. The more intelligent people of Cuba believe their best interests will be subserved through annexation to this country. When that sentiment becomes sufficiently strong Cuba will ask to be taken in; there will be no seizure on the part of the United States."

There has been no let up in the agitation of the Civil Service Retirement Association for a Civil Service pension system. The Association has recently written to Senators and Congressmen asking them to give the matter their careful attention. Among those who are said to favor the scheme are Representative Burton, of Ohio, and Fowler of New Jersey, the latter predicting that Congress will soon provide for such of the Committee on Civil Service, has designated Senators Lodge, Rayner, La Follette as a sub-committee to consider the bill offered by the association. The association has also written a circular letter to Government employees both in Washington and other cities urging them to join the association as they wish to make a good showing when they are given a hearing when Congress meets.

Representative Mudd, of Maryland, not only favors the annexation of Cuba but also the entire West Indies. He believes that the taking over of Cuba will do that country good. I am somewhat of an imperialist," he says. "I believe in the taking of the Islands when it contributes to our commercial advantage and supremacy of the seas and when it can be fairly and justly done I think we ought to own the West Indies Islands, every inch of one of them. To draw it a little stronger, I rather think the earth would be better off if we owned it."

Justice Thomas H. Anderson of the District of Columbia Supreme Court, returns from a four months tour of Europe three weeks of which was spent in Russia, with some interesting impressions. He says that terrorism prevailed to such an extent in Russia in July that upon their arrival at St. Petersburg his party was informed that they were the only tourists in Russia's capital. The Judge says the Russian peasants are one vast body of malcontents who need but the welding mind of some genius to transform the sporadic uprisings into one great revolution. "What the Russians want," he said, "is a constitutional government, and an

honest ministry and an opportunity to acquire ownership of land, a large part of which is now owned by the nobility. Unless these are granted them I look for a concerted, armed revolution." The judge visited the new Douma while in session, of which he said: "The Douma impressed me as a strong body of men. Proceedings were orderly and dignified. The makeup of the Douma was much out of the ordinary. There was the professional man—lawyer or doctor—dressed in conventional costume. Then came the priests with their long robes and long hair. The peasant members, with their trousers tucked into their boots, might from appearance, have just come from their homes in readiness for labor in the fields. The arrangement of the members upon the floor was much the same as it is in our Congress. Over fifty newspaper men were in the galleries reserved for the Press on the right of the Speaker. When a member of the Douma wishes to make a speech he is required to mount the tribunal, in front of the presiding officer's desk."

One of the prominent men at the encampment of the United Spanish War veterans last week was Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, the hero of the Merrimac who will enter Congress on the Fourth of March next as the successor of Congressman Bankhead. "One thing which I wish to see brought about and to which I will devote my best efforts is the expansion of the Navy. The two great blessings of man and liberty and Peace and America must be the first leader and agent in bringing this about by the only practical way—her Navy," declared Captain Hobson.

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